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High School Contest Trophies Go To All Parts of Northwest Missouri

Keen Competition and Good Sportsmanship Mark All Events Held Here Last Week—Bad Weather and Muddy Roads Reduce Crowd Friday and Saturday—Reduced Rail Rates Secured.

Forty silver loving cups and more than a hundred gold and silver medals, with a sprinkling of pennants and other trophies are distributed over Northwest Missouri now, carried home last week by the winners in the fifty-three different high school contests held here at the College last Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

More than twelve hundred students participated in these contests. With few exceptions the sportsmanship in the contests was commendable. Competition was keen in all events. The quality of performance in most events were the best that had ever been seen here.

Bad weather Friday and Saturday reduced the size of the crowd which would have attended the contests. However, many came on the train and more than enough certificates were obtained to secure reduced rates for the contestants.

Music

Outstanding among the high school contests of last week were the various music events. More than five hundred students were entered in these various events and the final program Friday evening was given before an audience of more than eleven hundred persons which filled the auditorium to overflowing.

Bethany won a lion's share of the Class A events. Director Dillinger's students won first in orchestra, band, chorus, boys' glee club, girls' quartet and tied for first in the boys' quartet.

First places in the other events were divided among Edgerton, Rock Port, King City, Maryville, Cameron, St. Joseph Central and St. Joseph Benton.

Playing the "Orpheus Overture," the Bethany orchestra won over Mound City students who played the "Jolly Robbers Overture." The Maryville orchestra, ineligible for competition because of College faculty direction, played "Merry Wives of Windsor."

In the band contest, Bethany won first place over Mound City. The winners played "The Princess of India." The Holt County band, an excellent organization, played, "Selections From Louise." The Maryville High School played "Orpheus in the Underworld." Rock Port High School girls won first place in the glee club contest with their rendition of "At Dawning." The Bethany girls placed second with "What the Chimney Says."

The Bethany boys glee club won first place. They sang "Lighthouse Watch." Maryville High School boys competed with the selection "Kentucky Babe."

In the chorus contest, Bethany won first on the selection "Good Night, Be- loved." King City students sang "The Miller Woeing." The Maryville High School chorus also gave a selection.

As a result of the ruling by which Maryville High School was ineligible to compete in the music contests, D. A. Caldwell, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, announced that this organization had purchased a loving cup to be presented to the high school within the next few days. This cup, Mr. Caldwell said, was given in appreciation of the work of the high school musicians during the last year.

Edgerton High School won first place in Class B orchestra.

Mildred Tebow of the Maryville High School was judged first place winner in the piano solos. Carroll Gillis of Cameron won first in cornet solos. In the violin contests, Sherman D. Kalls of St. Joseph Central High School won first and Anita Kalls of St. Joseph Benton won first place in the cello contest.

The Bethany girls quartet won first and the Bethany and King City boys tied for first place.

The judges for the contests were Alfred Smith of Des Moines, Iowa, and Miss Theodosia Hobbs, of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Literary Events

With the possible exception of boys' track, more schools were entered in the public speaking events than any other of the contests held last week. Representatives from thirty-two schools entered the girls' declamation, twenty-three boys competed in the oration and ten students participated in the extemporaneous speaking. That competition was keen in these contests goes without saying and the quality of the speeches was probably the best in several years.

Neal Sheets of Blytheville won first place in oratory with "Spartacus to the Gladiators." Second place was won by Norval Dale of Chillicothe, giving William Jennings Bryan's, "Evolution versus Science."

In the extemporaneous speaking contest, Miss Jaquette Linck of St. Jo-

Graduate Violin Recital Popular

Miss Maude Kibbe was well received in her graduate recital at Assembly last Wednesday.

She was presented by Miss Dvorak. Miss Kibbe's rendition of four numbers showed unusual ability and a thorough mastery of her instrument. The Harmony orchestra, which is directed by Miss Kibbe, attended the recital in a body.

Stage Is All Set To Open Spring Music Festival

High School Music Clubs Open Fifth Annual Event Thursday Evening—Eight Programs To Be Capped by Schumann-Heink Concert.

The Program For SPRING MUSIC FESTIVAL April 29 to May 7.

Thursday Evening, April 29, 8:15 o'clock—Concert, Maryville High School Music Clubs. Friday Evening, April 30, 8:15 o'clock—Concert, Conservatory Graduates and College Orchestra.

Sunday Evening, May 2, 8:15 o'clock—Concert, Conservatory Faculty and Children's Chorus. Monday Evening, May 3, 8:15 o'clock—Musical Opera, "The Chimes of Normandy."

Tuesday Evening, May 4, 8:15 o'clock—Joint Recital, Howard E. Preston and Miss Edna Swanson Ver Haar.

Wednesday Evening, May 5, 8:15 o'clock—Händel's "Messiah." Thursday Evening, May 6, 8:15 o'clock—Duo-Piano Concert, Manuel and Williamson.

Friday Evening, May 7, 8:15 o'clock—Concert, Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink, contralto, Florence Hardeman, violinist, assisting artist; Julius Bueger, pianist.

Thursday evening of this week the Maryville High School Music Clubs will officially usher in the Fifth Annual Spring Music Festival of the College. With the exception of Saturday night programs are scheduled for each night until the closing concert next Friday night by Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink.

Reserved seats for the students will go on sale Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at Kuehs Brothers for townspeople and at the College for faculty and students. No reserved seats will be sold after 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. Mail orders for Schumann-Heink concert are now being reserved if accompanied by check or money order. The single admission is \$2.50. Refunds on these tickets will be made until 6 o'clock the evening preceding the concert.

No effort or expense has been spared to make this Music Festival the best ever held in Northwest Missouri.

MEN IN THE MAKING

"Twister" Smith of Ridgeway is the hero of the boys' track meet as far as points and medals are concerned.

But a young pole vaulter of Craig, Randolph by name, won a laurel which is more valuable and will last longer than any metal medal.

For Randolph will be remembered, at least by those in the pole vault, as the boy from Craig, whose sportsmanship and ideal of fair play overshadowed the athletic ability of any of the vaulters.

Here is the way it happened. All of the entries in the Class B pole vault had been eliminated but Randolph of Craig and Borchers of Mound City. While Borchers ran in the relay Randolph cleared the bar at 10 feet, 6 inches and took two trials at the next height of 10 feet, 9 inches. Borchers returned to the vaulting pit worn out from his relay race. On his first trial at 10 feet, 6 inches he balked. After resting a few minutes he took the second trial and cleared the bar but fell into the pit, unable to rise. Immediately Randolph, took his own blanket, ran over and covered his opponent and told the judge of the event to call the jump a tie as he refused to take his third trial. Borchers raised himself and protested, but Randolph insisted and Coach Jones called the event a tie and gave the gold medal to Randolph and the silver medal to Borchers for second place.

A short time later another good sportsman appeared on the scene. When President Lamkin heard of the incident he saw the two boys and told them that both would be awarded gold medals for the pole vault.

Surely high school athletics are worthwhile if they produce such men as these.

Bearcats on Mark

Leave Friday For First Meet in Triangular Affair With Bulldogs and Warrensburg Mules.

The Bearcat tracksters will make their first competitive appearance of the season Friday when they journey to Kirksville to compete in a triangular meet with the cinder path athletes from Warrensburg and Kirksville.

The track men have been working hard every evening and some promising material has been developed. Coach Lawrence hardly knows what to expect of them in this first meet but he appears to be optimistic.

The following men will probably make the trip to Kirksville: O'Banion, Joy, Ungles, Martin, Wilson, Lewis, Burks, Bailey, Robey, Roelofson, Gibson and Hollar. If the roads are good several car loads of rooters are planning to accompany the team.

Miss Wilda Spencer Good, of The Good School of Expression at Des Moines, was the house guest of Miss McClanahan during the contests.

Ganum Finley, B. S. '25 of S. T. C. was in Maryville for the track meet. He brought with him several contestants. Finley is teaching at Sheridan.

Young Tank Stars In Training School

The swimming classes in the training school are progressing swimmingly. Recently beginners buttons have been awarded to several of the class of the American Red Cross. The winners of these awards are as follows:

Vilas Thorp; LaVern Campbell, Bohm Townsend; Ronald Logan; Donald Healy; Roland Cornell; Jean Montgomery; Lucille Leeson; Beatrice Cox; Miller Porter; Irene Higgins.

Mr. Loomis Quits S.T.C. To Take Superintendency

Popular Education Teacher Elected Head of Public School System At Flat River, Mo. at a Substantial Increase in Salary.

Mr. Loomis has resigned from the education department to accept a position as superintendent of schools at Flat River, Missouri, a city of 10,000 persons in the heart of the lead industry of Southeast Missouri. The new position carries with it a substantial increase in salary and an opportunity to do a great deal of constructive work. The resignation, which was tendered last Tuesday, will take effect on September first.



MR. LOOMIS

Mr. Loomis is a graduate of the State Teachers College at Cape Girardeau. Later he took his B. S. in education from the University of Missouri, and spent three summers of post graduate work in that institution. In 1915 he received his Masters degree from Columbia University in New York.

Mr. Loomis has conducted a test each year in the Maryville public schools. He has made a complete series of charts showing the increase in efficiency in the schools here. Intelligence tests have also been made under his direction each year. He took part in the school survey of the state in 1918, handling data for the Warrensburg district. He was also connected with the survey of 1923-24, compiling data on the certification of teachers.

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Maysville, Ridgeway and Plattsburg Winners in Boys' and Girls' Meet

Maysville, With Duse and Reece Cop Class A Cup and "Twister" Smith, With 36 Points Helps Ridgeway To Win Class B—Plattsburg Team Wins Girls' Track Trophy.

The high school trophy cases of Maysville, Ridgeway and Plattsburg added silver cups to their present collection when the athletes from these three schools won the Class A, Class B and girls' meet respectively, in the annual high school contests of Northwest Missouri held at the College last week.

For the second time in as many years Maysville and Ridgeway carried off the honors in boys' track. "Twister" Smith, Ridgeway star, won the M Club cup for individual points, having scored thirty-six of his team's 56 points. He won seven first places and one fourth. Duse and Reece were the two men responsible for Maysville winning the Class A cup.

The Weather Man was the strongest competitor of the teams entered for both meets. The girls were rained out Friday afternoon and had to finish Saturday morning in the face of a stiff, cold northwest. The afternoon was as disagreeable as one could imagine for the boys' meet. However, a generous crowd braved the weather to see the athletes perform.

HOW THEY FINISHED

BOYS' TRACK MEET		PLATTSBURG	
CLASS A.			
Maysville	44 1/2	Dills, Albany, first	5
Cameron	26 1-12	Grandview	5
Albany	22 1/2	Graham	3
Central	21	Daleview	3
Tarkio	10 1/2	Mound City	6
Maryville	7	Craig	5
Chillicothe	5	GIRLS' TRACK MEET	
Bethany	4	Plattsburg	27
Benton	1 5-6	Helena	14
CLASS B.		Savannah	12 1/2
Ridgeway	54	Eagleview	12
King City	20	Weston	8
Rock Port	17	King City	8
Lathrop	11	Maryville	6
Barnard	7	Harmony	2
Savannah	5	Grant City	1 1/2
		Daleview	1

No records were broken in the boys' meet, due chiefly to the weather and wet track. Hurdles had to be held up in the wind as did the cross-bar in the jumps. G. Howard of Weston shattered the baseball throw in the girls' meet by tossing the sphere 98 feet.

The following are the winners in the boys' events:

High Jump.
Class A: Kissinger, Maryville, first; Jacobs, Albany, Kimes, Cameron; George, Central; Christenson, Tarkio; Blodgett, Tarkio; Spring, Benton; Biggerstaff, Benton, tied for 2nd, 3rd, 4th, height, 5 feet, 2 inches.
Class B: Marans, King City, first; Lininger, Rock Port, second; Israel, Ridgeway, third; Hoster, Mound City, fourth. Height, 5 feet 8 inches.

Broad Jump.
Class A: Duse, Maysville, first; Dills, Albany, second; Minton, Central, third; Bensley, Central, fourth. Distance 20 feet, 10 inches.
Class B: Smith, Ridgeway, first; Lininger, Rock Port, second; Daniels, Ridgeway, third; Walker, Lathrop, fourth. Distance, 20 feet, 1 1/4 inches.

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Shot Put.
Class A—First, Miller, Cameron 40 ft., 8 1/4 inches; second, Reece, Maysville, 40 ft., 3 inches; third, Mulders, Cameron; fourth, Poe, Central.

Javelin.
Class A—First, Reece, Maysville, 154 ft.; second, Henry, Maysville, 142 ft.; third, Bayles, Chillicothe, 130 ft.; fourth, Harrison, Bethany, 116 ft.

Class B—First, Lininger, Rock Port; second, Raseo, Barnard; third, Belcher, King City; fourth, Smith, Ridgeway. Distance, 138 ft., 5 inches.

440-Yard Dash.
Class A: O. Offutt, Cameron, first; G. Beal, Bethany, second; Brooks, Tarkio, third; L. Butler, Central, fourth. Time, 57 2-5 seconds.

Class B: Carmack, Plattsburg, first; Seaton, Lathrop, second; Smith, King City, third; Rinehart, Ridgeway, 4th. Time, 59 4-5 seconds.

100 Yard Dash.
Class A—First, Duse, Maysville; 2nd, Welsh, Chillicothe; 3rd, McCoy, Albany; 4th, Minton, Central. Time 10 2-5 seconds.

Class B—1st, C. Smith, Ridgeway; 2nd, Daniels, Ridgeway; 3rd, Goforth, Barnard. Time—10.2 seconds.

880 Yard Run.
Class A—1st, Auten, Cameron; 2nd, Redman, Albany; 3rd, Balle, Tarkio; 4th, Butler, St. Joseph Central. Time 2 minutes, 17 seconds.

Class B: Herndon, Savannah, 1st; Miller, Lathrop, 2nd; Payne, King City, 3rd; Pugin, Lathrop, 4th; time, 2 min. 20 sec.

220-Yard Low Hurdles.
Class A: Jones, Maysville, 1st; H. Mulders, Cameron, 2nd; Dusenberry, Cameron, 3rd, Todd, Albany, 4th. Time 28 seconds.

Class B. Smith, Ridgeway, 1st; Daniels, Ridgeway, 2nd; Payne, King City, 3rd; Owen, Lathrop, 4th. Time 27 1-2 sec.

High Hurdles.
Class A—1st, Sheldon, Albany; 2nd, Minton, Central; 3rd, Dusenberry, Cameron; 4th, T. Jones, Maysville. Time, 17 2-5 seconds.

Class B—1st, Smith, Ridgeway; 2nd, Payne, King City; 3rd, Walker, Lathrop; 4th, Browning, Mound City. Time, 16 4-5 seconds.

Medley Race.
Class A: 1st Tarkio—Imbody, Brooks, Hopkins, and McCormick; 2nd, Albany; 3rd, Benton. Time 4 minutes 8 4-5 sec.

Class B: 1st Rock Port—Biggs, Lininger, Scott, and Spurlock; 2nd Burlington Junction. Time 4 minutes 14 sec.

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Where the Cups and Medals Found Homes in Northwest Missouri High Schools

The winners of first and second place in each event of the contests follow:

Agriculture

Grain judging:
Class A; team, first, Maryville; second, Grant City.

Class A; individual, Hans Neilson, Maryville; second, Doyle Ferguson, Grant City.

Class B; team, first, McFall; second, Sheridan.

Class B; individual, first, Euell Rainey, McFall; second, Chaucney Fisher, Sheridan.

Livestock judging:
Class A; team, first, Maryville; second, Grant City.

Class A; individual, first Kenneth Evans, Maryville; second, N. Gladstone, Albany.

Class B; team, first, Sheridan; second, McFall.

Class B; individual, Chaucney Fisher, Sheridan; second, Albert Willis, McFall.

Home Economics

Meal planning and serving:
Class A; first, Mound City; second, Maryville.

Class B; first, Oregon; second, Tarkio.

Bed-making:
Class A; first, Manella Dick, Maryville; second, Alta Munkers, Mound City.

Class B; first, Dorothy Smotzer, Grant City; second, Leta Gault, Savannah.

Clothing—undergarments:
Class A; first, LeVota Barrow, Maryville; second, Frances Lauber, Maryville.

Class B; first, Hazel Shumate, Excelsior Springs; second, Katherine Mills, Grant City.

Clothing—outgarments:
Class A; first, Martha Buckley, Cameron; second, Florence David, Maryville.

Class B; first, Hazel Shumate, Excelsior Springs; second, Thelma Coffelt, Bethany.

Dramatics
First, "Cinderella Married," by Rachel Lyman Field, Maryville.

Second, "Dregs," Trenton.

Fine Arts
Picture Study Tableaux:
First, "Charity," Maryville; second, "America," Trenton.

Poster:
Ralph Simpson, Trenton.

Design Applied to Craft:
Omar Murthy, Central, St. Joseph.

High School Annual:
The Wahwahlawawab, Benton, St. Joseph.

Representation:
Junior Curran, Maryville.

Costume Design:
Nollie Marian Smith, Maryville.

Literary
Declamation:
First, Lois Gilbert, Savannah.

"Ashes of Roses," second, Lavona Babb, Oregon, "The Highwayman"

Oration:
First, Neals Sheets, Blytheville, "Spartacus to the Gladiators," second, Norval Dale, Chillicothe, "Science vs Evolution."

Extemporaneous:
First, Jaquette Linck, Central, St. Joseph.

Second, Ralph Graves, Maryville.

Essay:
First, George Willis, Central, St. Joseph, "I Have Always Wished for a Farm." Second, Maggie Swift, King City, "What a Change Peace Would Bring."

Debate:
Maryville defeated Trenton in the finals for the championship of Northwest Missouri on the child labor question.

Tennis
Girls' Singles:
Margaret Lett, Central, St. Joseph.

Girls' Doubles:
Bettie and Albright, Central, St. Joseph.

Boys' Singles:
Saunders, Albany.

Boys' Doubles:
Lewis Moilton and Elmore Inglo, Bethany.

Music
Orchestra:
Class A; Bethany; Class B, Edgerton.

Band:
Class A, Bethany.

Chorus:
Class A, Bethany.

Girls' Glee Club:
Rock Port.

Boys' Glee Club:
Bethany.

Girls' Quartet:
Bethany.

Boys' Quartet:
Tie between Bethany and King City.

Piano solo:
Mildred Tobow, Maryville.

Violin solo:
Sherman D. Kalls, Central, St. Joseph.

Cornet:
Carroll Gillis, Cameron.

Cello:
Anita Kalls, Benton, St. Joseph.

Shorthand:
Class A; first, Mildred Sandison, Maryville; second, Helen Linthum, Ridgeway.

Class B; first, Annie Shanin, Robidoux, St. Joseph; second, Janet Cameron, Robidoux.

Typewriting:
Class A; Helen Hornkohl, Robidoux, St. Joseph; second, Lillie Gordon, Robidoux.

Class B; first, William Spoorer, Maryville; second, Scott Tisdale, Robidoux.

Industrial Arts
Woodwork:
Class A, schools; first, Excelsior Springs; second, Bethany.

Mechanical Drawing:
Class A; Harry Daniels, Maryville.

Architectural Drawing:
Class A; Ora Petty, Maryville.

Mechanical and Architectural Drawing:
School contest; first, Maryville; second, St. Joseph Central.

Girls' Athletics
Volley Ball:
Central, St. Joseph.

Playground baseball:
Central, St. Joseph.

Girls' Track Meet:
First, Plattsburg; second, Helena.

Boys' Athletics
Track Meet:
Class A, Maysville.

Class B, Ridgeway.

Golf Tournament:
Harold Holloway, Central St. Joseph.

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COLLEGE OATH
"We will never bring disgrace to this, our college, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the college. We will reverse and overthrow the college laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this college to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

MUSIC
Music makes a universal appeal to the human heart. The warrior goes forth into the fray amid lively airs of battle; the politician follows the patriotic strains; the lover sings songs of devotion. The wedding march and the funeral march are in keeping with the happiness of the first and the sadness of the second. The circus would be a farce without the noisy band; religious worship would seem a pious affectation without the hymns of praise and thanksgiving. Athletic contests, appealing to the physical, and lecture programs, appealing to the mental, alike have their specially adapted music. Our very lives are moulded and influenced by music from the cradle to the grave.

National Music Week opens May 2. Here at the College our opens Thursday. Many communities get music hungry. Our Music Festival is designed to satisfy that hunger for a time. No student should miss the musical treat in store for him during this festival.

HIGH SCHOOL CONTEST TROPHY GO TO ALL PARTS OF NORTHWEST MISSOURI

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their departure, we dedicate this, our Wahwahlanawah." One of the chief reasons for the winning of the St. Joe year books was the fact that it was inexpensive to the school. Most of the work was done by students.

The judging was done by Miss Della Miller of Central High School, Kansas City, Missouri.

DRAMATICS
As interesting and entertaining as any of the contests held last week were those in dramatics and tableaux. A large crowd was present in the auditorium for both the preliminaries and finals in these contests last Thursday.

The quality of all the plays must have made judging difficult. First place in dramatics was awarded to Maryville on the play "Cinderella Married," by Rachel Lyman Field, given by the Maryville High School. Those in the cast were: Robert Porter, Edwyna Poraythe, Helen Geist, Virginia Nicholas, Lucille Snyder and Lawrence Wray. Second place went to Trenton with the play, "Dregs," by the following cast: Helen Pouts, Lawrence Hall, Frank Horner, and Jack Shipman.

In the tableaux "Charity" by Maryville won first place and "American" portrayed by Robert Walker and Mark Graham, won second place.

The judge for these contests were Mrs. D. D. Goode of Des Moines, Iowa.

Springtime Welcomed with Verse

Welcome sweet springtime—in poem and in prose. Mr. Leeson's class in Nature Study has ushered in this season, not only with appropriate nature study but with writing poems about it. The first of these two poems, written by Virginia Hill, was judged by the class as being the best one turned in. The second one certainly deserves honorable mention.

April, the Fulfillment of Spring!

Oh, Spring most hopeful season of the year,
Your orchards filled with blossoms pink and white,
Around the heart with leisure pure and sweet;
The robins cheery song from morn till night,
Your showers, bees, and birds alike
Inspire the hearts of men with thoughts upright,
You are the season that the seeds are sown,
And planter's hearts are filled with hope.

Oh, Spring! with verdure fresh and green
Oh time of changing sky and gentle rain,
Of budding fruit and hope regained.
You act the part of "Hope" in life's great scene,
You banish all our thoughts of fear
Replacing them by visions clear.

—Virginia Hill

MARYVILLE, RIDGEWAY AND PLATTSBURG WINNERS IN BOYS' AND GIRLS' MEET

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Discus Throw.
Class A—1st, Reece, Marysville; 2nd, Henry, Marysville; 3rd, Kisinger, Maryville; 4th, Miller, Cameron. Distance, 112 ft., 1 inch.

Class B—1st, Smith, Ridgeway; 2nd, Knepper, Daleview; 3rd, R. Rasco, Barnard; 4th, J. Shyabough, Grandview. Distance, 102 ft., 3 inches.

Pole Vault.
Class A—1st, Vavra, Central; 2nd, R. Jacoby, Albany; S. Cox, Central; tied for 2nd; Kimes, Cameron; Muddock, Marysville; Spring, Benton, tied for 4th. Height, 10 ft.

Class B—Randolph, Craig, and Borchers, Mound City, tied for first and second; Navans, King City, third; Liningner, Rock Port, fourth; Height, 10 feet 6 inches.

Half Mile Relay.
Class A—1st, Marysville—Jones, McElwain, Cook, Duse; 2nd, Chillicothe; 3rd, Central; 4th, Benton. Time, 1 minute 43 1-5 seconds.

Class B—1st, Ridgeway—Daniels, Culp, Rinehart, Smith; 2nd, Rock Port; 3rd, Lathrop; 4th, Burlington Junction. Time, 1 minute, 43 1-5 seconds.

After being rained out Friday afternoon and competing against the weather man's cold, strong wind Saturday morning, the girls from Plattsburg stepped out and won the meet cup in the Girls' Track Meet with a total of 27 points. Helena was second with a total of 14 points. Due chiefly to the unfavorable weather only one record was broken, that being in the baseball throw, when G. Howard of Weston heaved the horseshoe 186 feet, which bettered the 176 feet and 10 inches of last year. E. Sweet of Helena and B. O'Connor, of Plattsburg tied with ten points each for high point honors.

Following are the results of the meet: 60-yard dash: O'Connor, Plattsburg, first; Richardson, Eagleview, second; Thorning, Plattsburg, third; Irwin, Helena, fourth; Time 7 4-5 seconds.

Baseball Throw: G. Howard, Weston, first; Bonnell, Weston, second; Fanning, Harmony, third; Hines, Savannah, fourth. Distance, 186 feet.

75 Yard Dash: O'Connor, Plattsburg, first; Parr, Plattsburg, second; Clark, King City, third; Irwin, Helena, fourth. Time, 9 7-10 seconds.

High Jump: Chick, Maryville, first; Brownlee, Savannah, second; Carroll, Grant City, and Hall, Savannah, tied for third. Height, 4 feet, 3 inches.

Shuttle Relay: Plattsburg, first; Eagleview, second; Savannah, third; Daleview, fourth. Time, 45 seconds.

Basketball Throw: Bowman, Savannah, first; Swenningen, King City, second; Heckenlively, Eagleview, third; Warner, Maryville, fourth. Distance, 72 feet, 2 inches.

Low Hurdles: E. Sweet, Helena, first; A. Jones, King City, second; A. Irwin, Helena, third; Time 13 2-5 seconds.

Running Broad Jump: Sweet, Helena, first; Richardson, Eagleview, second; Stone, Plattsburg, third; Heckenlively, Eagleview, fourth. Distance, 13 feet 9 inches.

220-yard Relay: Plattsburg, first; Savannah, second; Daleview, third; King City, fourth. Time, 31 seconds.

"They say the age of miracles is past. I say it is only beginning, because men are only beginning to study the world they've lived in for a million years. Some people say that men were never monkeys, but I say that they've never been anything else till the last century.—The Old Home Town—Rupert Hughes.

Reflections
Pretty little fairy queen
Clad in robes of freshest green,
You are spring, the robing say,
And I presume you've come to stay.

April, with her many showers,
Coaxing forth the woodland flowers
Is a hand-maid unto spring:
Of April's glories I shall sing.

Bluebirds, robins, with their song,
To this early morn belong;
Passing all the hours away
With their tunes—both "work and play."

Cherry blossoms, white and pure;
Violets, dainty and demure;
Jonquills gold, and hyacinths,
Tulips with their many tints.

These are the work of April gay
As she trips along the way
April in the woodland bowers
Weaves time and substance into flowers.

—Minnie Stadler

Misadventure is sometimes worse than no education. Misadventured individuals are a plague to society for they demand so much and they have nothing to give.

—Prof. Lee Loong Tong, China.

"The world does not need more inventions just now, until general intelligence has increased so man can be had to operate what we have."—Thomas A. Edison.

Here Is How It Started 17 Years Ago---and, of Course, It Rained

The following story of the first track meet held here at the college is taken from the Maryville Democrat-Forum and Tribune:

"The first high school track meet to be held at the State Teachers College was in 1910, according to Emmett F. Scott, who was partly responsible for the starting of the custom which has continued ever since. Mr. Scott was then coach of football and baseball at the college, which was then the Northwest Normal. Henry Kirby Taylor was the president of the institution.

The idea was formed at a conference one day between President Taylor and Mr. Scott. It was only after a great deal of discussion that it was deemed wise to carry out the plan of a track meet, for such a thing was new in Northwest Missouri, and the small college, handicapped by lack of funds, hesitated to undertake the venture which would call for a heavy expenditure of money.

Finally Mr. Scott and Mr. Taylor went to St. Joseph, where a meeting of high school officials of the district was held. At this time, the Northwest Inter-High School Association was formed, and it was decided to hold the meet on April 30.

"And right there is where the work began," Mr. Scott said. "About the only thing that the college could boast of in the way of track and field equipment was a pair of worn-out spiked shoes which some athlete had left in the dressing room at an earlier date.

"But everybody was determined to make a success of the venture, so we pitched in. First came the problem of a track. We had the location, and that was all.

"There wasn't any athletic department at the school at that time, so we requisitioned the services of any and all other departments. The first person to be called on was Dean George H. Colbert. His task was to lay out the track. I will never forget how he took his instruments and spent hours determining the quarter-mile oval.

"Next I took a team and graded and dragged the track. About this time excitement began to rise and numbers of townspeople came daily out to the field to witness the process.

"We didn't have any hurdles, and we didn't have any standards, take-off boards, or shot and discus rings. All of these we made or had made."

Fourteen schools entered in the meet with a total of 134 contestants. There were thirteen events. Mr. Scott said that one of the most troublesome affairs in connection with the meet was the numbering of the contestants.

"Finally, after we had put the matter off until it could wait no longer, W. A. Rickenbrode came to the rescue, and

we fashioned a numbering system much the same as is now used.

Eleven Maryville High School boys were entered in the meet. Among them were: Olin Price, Glen Eckles, and Orlo Quinn.

Another great problem in connection with the meet was the choice of officials. Track meets were foreign to Maryville, and it was difficult to choose local men who knew anything about the matter. Finally the major officials were imported and local men were used in the minor capacities.

Among those who were finally selected were: E. E. Williams and Dave Munn, judges; F. J. Zimmerer and Brint Embree, field judges; F. P. Robinson, F. G. Shoemaker, and H. L. Raines, timers; William G. Sawyers, clerk of course; and Emmett Scott, inspector.

"We had banked our all on the event," Mr. Scott said, "and of course it rained. Early in the morning the clouds gathered and rain fell steadily for a short time. We were about as disappointed an outfit of promoters as you ever saw. But finally the sun came out and dried everything up by noon."

Mr. Scott said that an enormous crowd attended the meet. There were persons here from all sections of the district.

Maryville merchants donated the medals for the meet. In those days, a gold medal cost \$5, and silver ones were slightly less.

"We figured what merchants would be 'good' for the price of a gold medal, and tackled them," Mr. Scott said. "Then we visited those that we thought would donate a silver one, and finally the 'little fellows,' who were asked to give the bronze medals. The college furnished the cups."

St. Joseph Central won the meet. In connection with the track meet, declamatory contests were held at the Maryville High School on the night before. An alumni banquet was planned to follow the contests.

"The interest was so great that the orators didn't finish their contest until 2:30 o'clock in the morning, and I'm ashamed to tell you what time the banquet ended," the speaker concluded.

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One of the Students.

The Open Forum

Do our students have an interest in the conditions of our campus. At first thought one would say that they do, but do they? Probably it is simply an oversight on the part of most students, but it is a fault that should be corrected.

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Salary Statistics Of Mo. Is Studied

The report for this week from the statistics class taught by Mr. Loomis concerns the teaching of Latin, physics and mathematics in the high schools of Missouri. Those subjects which are taught in connection with the above three will also be discussed.

Latin as a teaching subject is correlated with English more than any other subject, with history and mathematics ranking second. There are 310 positions, including 67 superintendents or principals paying an average salary of \$1019.25. With a possible range of \$220.00. The average salary paid to a teacher of Latin alone is \$1550.53. The teacher of Latin and one other subject receives an average salary of \$1303.56. With the addition of correlated subjects the salary is decreased. This average of salaries is for first class high schools.

In discussing the question of teaching mathematics it is evident that there is an advantage in specialization in more than one subject. There are 159 positions for mathematics alone while there are 411 positions for those who can teach mathematics and two additional subjects and the average salary does not differ to the extent of \$100.00 per year. The average salary decreases as the number of correlated subjects increases. Mathematics is one of the old line curricular subjects and is found in almost every high school. Its more favorable combinations are Latin, history and English, appearing most frequently in the order named.

The following table gives some information regarding the salaries that a teacher of physics might expect to receive in the first class high schools of Missouri. This data was taken from the School Directory of Missouri for 1925-26 and does not include the cities of St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph. There are but 174 teachers of physics in the first class high schools of the state and 114 of these are either Superintendents or principals.

Subject	Average Salary	No. of Positions
Physics alone.....	\$2598.23	9
Physics and one other subject.....	\$1926.25	40
Physics and two subjects.....	\$1526.20	76
Physics and three subjects.....	\$1414.85	42

Maryville Wins In Final Debate

The Maryville High School debating team defeated the Trenton debaters in the finals Friday afternoon for the championship of Northwest Missouri. With a more logical and perhaps better presented argument they won a two to one decision.

The Maryville team upheld the negative side of the question: Resolved: That the federal amendment enabling Congress to regulate child labor should be ratified by the several states.

The Trenton debaters brought out the need for better regulation of child labor and held that the situation could be dealt with adequately only by the federal government. They argued that the states acting separately could not effectively deal with migratory child labor and with the interstate shipments of goods made by child labor. It was their belief that federal regulation would not interfere with state action and would be a valuable adjunct to the state laws.

The negative minimized the number of child workers in this country and held that the separate states are dealing effectively with the situation and are steadily raising standards. They maintained that the only effective way to cope with the evils of child labor was to remove the causes, and that the causes are being removed.

The Maryville team was composed of Ralph Graves and Ruth Hammond. The Trenton debaters were Dorothy Kirkwood and Hazel Wagner.

The debate was interesting, to the point, and spirited.

The judges were: Arthur L. Hall, George W. Brown, and Miss Nellie Mendum, all of the faculty of the Peru State Normal at Peru, Nebraska. Mr. Wallin acted as chairman.

St. Joseph Central Wins Golf Tourney

Harold "Briek" Halloway of St. Joseph Central is the high school golf champion of Northwest Missouri. This title goes to him by virtue of his victories in the tournament, the first of its kind, which was held at the Maryville Country Club last week in connection with the high school contests of the College.

Halloway upset all pre-tournament dope when he defeated, Paul Martin, the pride of Trenton, 1 up in 19 holes. It was a hotly contested match and Martin was heavily doped to win. The next day Halloway beat Peter Deitz, Maryville entry 7 up and six holes to play. Previous to the championship flight Deitz had defeated Marvin Dinsmore of Maryville 3 up and 2 to go.

On Friday Dinsmore won from Robert Walker of Trenton 6 up and 4 to play. Halloway won from C. Saunders of Albany 1 up. On account of the weather only a small gallery followed the play which was unusually good for high school students.

Math. Club Gives Interesting Program

The regular meeting of the Mathematics and Science Club was held Thursday afternoon April 22 at 2:30 in room 301.

Leota Claire Landfather played a piano solo. This was followed by an interesting talk on "The New Element" by Mervin McNulty. Ned Colbert talked about the "Moffat Tunnel." Mr. Colbert said this tunnel would be six miles long when completed. It is to consist of two tunnels, the railroad tunnel which is to be eighteen feet by twenty-four feet and the water tunnel eight feet by eight feet. The tunnel is constructed on a curve but still they are able to build from both directions, intending to join the two divisions.

These talks were followed by the business. At this time the new constitution was discussed and adopted.

Kansas State Agricultural College is considering instituting golf as an intercollegiate sport.

"I heard the voice of harpers harp with their harps.
And they sang as it were a new song before the throne."—Rev. 14:2,3.

MR. LOOMIS QUILTS S. T. C. TO TAKE SUPERINTENDENCY

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In 1922 Mr. Loomis made a survey of Gentry county for the College. The results of this survey were published in the College bulletin. He is a member of the Phi Delta Kappa, honorary education fraternity.

For one year he was with the Federal Board of Vocational Education as training officer in charge of the government school at Perryville, Maryland.

Mr. Loomis came to S. T. C. from Fredericktown, Mo. where he was president of Marvin College. He was also high school inspector of the state during the time that President Lamkin served as state superintendent of schools. He served in that capacity while on leave of absence from the

Warrensburg State Teachers College, where he taught psychology.

The Flat River school system has fifty-seven teachers and 2100 pupils. There is a fully accredited junior college, a first class junior and senior high school and seven large ward school buildings.

He is perhaps best known to College students as being connected with psychology, tests and measurements.

Newman Club

At the Newman Club, April 20th, the following program was given:

"Ave Maria" and "Dona" were sung by Mr. Tony Blatter, Miss Mary Carpenter playing the accompaniments. An interesting and instructive talk on "Psychology and Religion" was given by Rev. Father Felix of St. Mary's Church.

GIFTS that last for Graduates

THE Commencement Season is very near. Relatives and friends will be graduated from schools and colleges—and the occasion will demand gifts suitable to commemorate the event.

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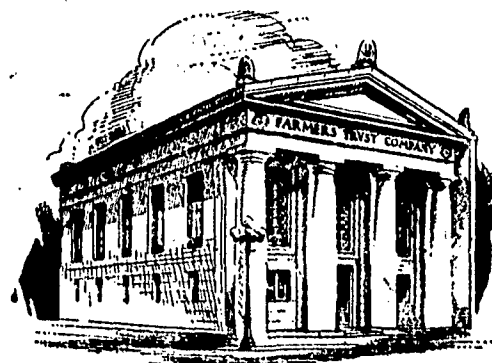
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In The Social Swirl

Art Club Luncheon

The Art Club gave a luncheon at Residence Hall last Tuesday. Thirteen members and Miss DeLuce, club sponsor, were present. The following program was given: "Art in the America of Today," Miss Opal Wilson; "Disadvantages of Not Having Art in the Grades," Miss Bessie Patton; and "The Advantages of Art Work in the Grades," by Lewis Schnabel.

Luncheon for Visitors

Miss Dow and Miss DeLuce gave a luncheon Wednesday complimentary to Miss Della Miller of Kansas City, and Mrs. Wilda Spencer Goode of Des Moines.

Miss Miller is an art instructor in Central High School, Kansas City, and was here to act as judge in the contests.

Miss Goode came to act as judge in dramatics and is from Drake University. Other guests were, Miss Bowman, Miss Painter and Dean Barnard.

Maryville Wins In Ag. Contests

A record number of entries, keen competition, high quality grain, and fine livestock, characterized the annual high school agriculture contests held at the College here last week.

Maryville carried off everything in its class winning team and individual honors in both grain judging and livestock judging.

In grain judging class A, Hans Neilson, Vernon Taylor and Kenneth Evans, comprised the winning team for Maryville and Hans Neilson was individual winner. The Grant City team placed second and Doyle Ferguson, of Grant City won second in the individual contest.

In Class B the McFall team composed of Mildred Albright, Euell Rainey and Albert Willis took first honors and the Sheridan team composed of Chauncey Fisher, Carmon Jenkins and Louis Cooper was second.

Euell Rainey of McFall placed first in the individual contest and Chauncey Fisher of Sheridan, second.

Mr. Withington and Mr. Kinnaird are to be complimented for their work in securing such high grade grain for the use of the contestants in grain judging.

Nearly every one interested in the grain judging commented on the high quality of the grain used. And well they might, for the country was secured to get grain of the best quality possible.

The wheat used in the contest won first place at the International Stock Show at Chicago. The corn used was mainly from well known seed companies, and the other grains, oats and soy beans, were secured from the Iowa State Agriculture College, from seed houses and from well known farms.

The grain used was of the best to be had in the middle west.

The winning livestock judging team from Maryville was composed of Kenneth Evans, James Hutson and George Hopburn. The Grant City team placed second.

In Class B the Sheridan team composed of Laura Davidson, Edwin Hayworth and Chauncey Fisher was first and the McFall team of Euell Rainey, Albert Willis, and Carl Massie were second. First individual prize went to Chauncey Fisher of Sheridan and second place to Albert Willis, of McFall.

With the exception of the Short-horns, all the judging was done on the College farm. The contestants visited Parkdale, the farm of Bellows Brothers to judge Shorthorns.

Frosh Victors in Girls' Tank Meet

Freshmen in S. T. C. again came to the front when they won the girls' inter-class swimming meet held Tuesday of last week, making a total score of 40 points out of a possible 78. The seniors won second with a score of 20 points and the juniors were third with 12.

First place in individual scoring went to Virginia Dean, a freshman. Lorene Bruckner was second with twelve and Maurine Aebly was third with twelve.

The winners in the various events were as follows:

Plunge for distance: Ruby Donk, freshman, first; Lorene Bruckner, senior second; Esther Gile, junior, third.

Twenty-yard crawl: Virginia Dean, freshman, first; Maurine Aebly, freshman, second; Opal Hantze, sophomore, third.

Breast stroke for form: Virginia Dean, freshman, first; Evelyn Mapel, senior, second; Rosella Froman, junior, third.

100-yard free style: Virginia Dean, freshman, first; Esther Gile, junior, second; Lorene Bruckner, senior, third. Head entry: Lorene Bruckner and Roberta Cook, seniors, first; Margaret Quinlin and Maurine Aebly, freshmen, second; Esther Gile and Rosella Froman, juniors, third.

Under-water swimming for distance: Marie Chandler, junior, first; Myrtle Argo, senior, second; Maurine Aebly, freshman, third.

Rowing the boat: Freshmen, first; senior, second; junior, third.

Relay: Senior, first; freshmen, second, sophomores, third.

Diving: Maurine Aebly, freshman, first; Lorene Bruckner, senior, second; Esther Gile, junior, third.

Miss Helen Manley and Miss Nora Parr, instructors of physical education at the State Teachers College were judges of the meet.

Commerce Contests Reveal Much Speed

The library of the college building was ringing with statuo sounds at eight o'clock Saturday April 24, when the contestants from the various high schools who were entered in the typewriting contest started action. After the smoke of the battle had cleared away the following results were found. In class A, Helen Hornkohl was first with an average of 48.98 net words per minute; in class B, William Spore was first with a net average of 88.37 words per minute.

In the class A contest in shorthand Miss Mildred Sandison of Maryville placed first with a grade of 97 per cent, Miss Helen Linthicum of Ridge-way received second with 96 per cent. Out of 300 words dictated, Miss Sandison made nine errors and Miss Linthicum, out of the same number of words, made twelve errors.

In the Class B contest, Robidoux of St. Joseph placed first, second and third with their representatives. Annie Shavin, Janet Cameron and Winifred Cauday being the winners. Miss Shavin, out of 500 words dictated, made five errors, which gave her the record of 99 per cent. Miss Cameron out of the same number of words made eight mistakes and received a grade of 98.4 per cent. Miss Cauday made sixteen mistakes and was graded with 96.8 per cent.

In Class A shorthand eleven others received recognition and the others were disqualified. The standing follows:

Robidoux, Edith Holt, 300 words, eighteen errors; Robidoux, Olive Behrendt, twenty-four errors; Excelsior Springs, Dorothy Neidel, twenty-four errors; Savannah, Thelma Armfield, sixty-two errors; Robidoux, Emma Bush, sixty-two errors; Maryville, Thelma Stephenson, sixty-three errors; Fillmore, Pauline Busch, seventy-two errors; Maryville, Ruth Pope, ninety-one errors; Rock Port, Marjorie Grebe, ninety-six errors; Plattsburg, Una Moore, one hundred and twenty-two errors; Plattsburg, Mary Morgan, one hundred and seventy-two errors.

In the Class B contest in shorthand the only recognized paper outside of the three winners of Robidoux was Miss Thelma Robertson of Rock Port who made one hundred and thirty-two errors out of the 500 words.

In the typewriting contest Robidoux of St. Joseph won first place with its team of three representatives, who made a total grade of 43.49. Second place was given to the Cameron team, which had a grade of 40.5. Third place was given to Maryville with a grade of 39.01 and fourth place went to Laredo whose grade was 32.78.

The teams and their individual grades follow:

Robidoux, Helen Hornkohl, 48.93; Libbie Gordon, 48.78; Billie Hinkley, 38.72.

Cameron: Mildred Nichols, 46.7; Kester Arnold, 41.4; Wayne Mayes, 34.2.

Maryville: Thelma Stephenson, 44.43; Jack Morgan, 42.13; Darroll Boopler, 30.47.

Laredo: Mary Baldrige, 44.34; Mildred Cooper, 36.88; Constance LaMasney, 7.73.

The contest in both shorthand and typewriting were conducted and judged by A. C. Seffling, representative of the Gregg Publishing Company of Chicago.

The various entries in this typing meet were especially interested as this was the district elimination meet and the person winning in this contest will represent their particular school in the State meet to be held in Columbia next week. It is believed by many in this school that the Maryville entry stands a good chance of winning in the state meet.

Reed Smock Accepts Honolulu Position

Reed Smock, who for the last two years has had charge of the bookkeeping and typewriting department of the Rock Port High School, has received a cablegram that she has been employed to teach bookkeeping in the Mid-Pacific Institute at Honolulu. She graduated from the Rock Port High School in 1922 and entered the State Teachers' College at Maryville then returned to the Rock Port to take charge of the business department of the high school. The Mid-Pacific Institute is a private institution operated in connection with the Honolulu University.

Freshmen Girls Soccer Winners

The winning team of girls' inter-class soccer ball was decided last week when the freshmen, with a final spurt, came to the front and won easily. The Sophomores were second with the juniors and seniors third and fourth.

Since the games are over the Varsity squad has been chosen for places on the team: Bruckner, (captain), Cook, Argo, Gile, Chandler, Best, Campbell, Hantze, Manchester, Kinnman, Brown, McGinty, Dean.

According to Miss Manley it was hard to decide who should be placed on the first string squad but the girl who played her position best was chosen.

Miss Bruckner will receive the varsity letters for the event today. The letters that will be worn are of the same material as the rest of the college letters except for design. These new ones are in old English pattern.

Accept every opportunity of hearing good music. It pays.—National Music Week, May 2 to 9.

Home Ec. Contests Popular This Year

More than a hundred contestants took part in the various home economics contests held last week. The winners were well distributed among the schools of Northwest Missouri participating in these contests. The clothing and foods contests were held in the home economics rooms on the fourth floor and the bed-making contests were held at the Residence Hall.

In the meal planning and serving events the Class A prize went to the Mound City team composed of Susie Wright, Mary Scott, and Elizabeth Derr. The Maryville team composed of Gertrude Wilson, Manilla Dick and Ruth Bush, placed second.

In class B division of this contest the Oregon team, composed of Louise Myers, Pauline Stadler and Elma Wilson took first place. Second place went to the Tarkio team composed of Florence Prather, Katherine Scott and Genevieve Beatie.

The girls, after making out a list and ordering all materials and utensils needed, prepared and served a family dinner. One of the group acted as the host, another the hostess, and the third the maid. Each group was allowed one guest at the dinner which was served at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The girls were judged not only on time in preparation, serving and cleaning, and appropriateness of foods; but also on neatness and attractiveness of the kitchen, table, and person, forthright, and ability to meet emergencies calmly. The vocational students presented simple dietaries after the meal was served.

In the bed-making contest Manella Dick of Maryville placed first and Alta Munkers of Mound City won second. In Class B, Dorothy Smetzer of Grant City won first and Leta Gault of Savannah was second. The contestants were judged on the following points: Method of making the beds, this is, the time, neatness as to the size of sheets, pillow cases and the best type of covers, and written examinations on home nursing.

The clothing contests showed some fine garments made by the contestants. In the outergarments Martha Buckley of Cameron won first in Class A and Florence David of Maryville, second.

In Class B, Hazel Shumate of Excelsior Springs was first and Thelma Coffelt of Bethany was second. The garment of Miss Shumate's scored almost perfect in workmanship.

In the undergarments, LeVeta Barrow of Maryville was first in Class A and Frances Lauber of Maryville, second. In Class B, Miss Shumate again won first and Katherine Mills of Grant City was second. Mrs. F. E. O'Maley of Red Oak, Iowa, judged these contests.

Dr. Keller Booked For Many Speeches

Dr. Keller has received a great number of requests to give high school commencement addresses in Northwest Missouri. He has received about thirty calls and has arranged his schedule to speak at the following places:

Sheridan, May 5; Baecalaurante, Fillmore, Sunday evening, May 9; New Point, May 10; Central May 11; New York Consolidated, May 12; Maitland, May 13; Bethany, May 13; Calmesville, May 15; Burlington Junction, May 18; Portescue, May 19; Edgerton, May 20; McFall, May 21 and Hatfield, May 27. Ten of the above calls are return engagements, five having been dated for a year ahead. He has had calls from two other states which he has had to decline.

Essie Ward, R. S., '25, superintendent at Rosendale, attended the contests at the College. She says that she is not going to teach the coming year.

Ziegler Elected Head of N.W.Mo. Athletic Ass'n.

Superintendent of Maryville Schools Re-elected At Meeting Last Week—Vandersloot of Benton Re-Named Secretary—New Board Members.

L. E. Ziegler, superintendent of the Maryville Public Schools, was re-elected president of the Northwest Missouri High School Athletic Association at the annual meeting of the Association last Saturday morning. E. R. Adams, superintendent of schools at Tarkio, was elected Vice-president to succeed Superintendent L. A. Zeliff of Stanberry.

Fred Vandersloot, principal of St. Joseph Benton, was re-elected recording secretary. Mr. Sealeman of the College is corresponding secretary and treasurer of the Association.

J. M. Broadbent, superintendent at Martinsville and J. M. McDonald, principal at Trenton were elected members of the Board of Control.

The Association voted to empower the Board of Control to change the eligibility rules of the Association so they would conform to the eligibility rules of the new state association.

Louise Peery, instructor in the Savannah schools and former S. T. C. student, was present at the track meet held at the College last week. She brought with her several contestants in dramatics and tableaux.

High School Notes

Chula
The annual junior and senior banquet of the high school was held Tuesday evening, April 13, at 7:30 o'clock.

The basement of the school building was beautifully decorated in the color scheme of purple and white, the senior class colors. Ferns and potted plants added beauty to the scene. The color scheme was carried out on the table in place cards, nut cups, and favors. Purple and white sweet peas were used as the floral touch.

The Junior Class recently installed a radio aerial permanently for a gift to the high school. James Graham with his radio set furnished music for the evening.

The after dinner program consisted of toasts made up of letters in the word "SPIRIT". The toasts were given in the form of a radio program, with Frances Stevenson, the junior class president, acting as toastmistress. The toasts were: "Loyalty to School," Cleo Dickman; "Loyalty to Pal," Mr. Fred L. Keller; Vocal solo, Grace Galatin; "Loyalty to Ideals," Vernon Powell; "Loyalty to Rules," Bessie Ishmael; vocal solo, Velma Blue; "Loyalty to Individual," Wilma Coburn; "Loyalty to Tasks," Mr. Cleo T. LeHew; Class poem of 1926, Leah Plentje; Class Prophecy for 1936, Lawrence Griffing; Signing off, everybody joined in by singing "Seniors Will Shine" and "Chula Will Shine Tonight."

Covers were laid for forty-one. The guests were the Senior class: Vernon Powell, Bernice Gibson, Mildred Jenkins, Alice Stapleton, Harold Blue, Edith Case, Herman Edmundson, Grace Galatin, Grace Hicklin, Irene Meservey, Maurice Trumbo; sponsor, Miss Bernice Cramer; and the faculty: Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Keller, Mrs. Helen Hills, Miss Zona Robertson, Miss Jennie Emley, and Miss Maude Fields.

Members of the Junior Class were: Frances Stevenson, Josephine Lightner, Mildred Spencer, Goldie Trumbo, Mildred Steele, Velma Blue, Wilma Coburn, Vera Adams, Wilma Buckner, Cleo Dickman, Leah Plentje, Bessie Ishmael, Carrie Chandler, Bernays Buckner, Francis Carroll, Dale Duff, Winston Plentje, Lawrence Griffing, Harry Lightner, Clendon Pace, Hartzel Buckner; sponsor, Mr. Cleo T. LeHew.

The Bird Club gave a program Friday night April 16. The entertainment consisted of songs, readings, talks, pantomimes, a one act play, "The Workers," and a three act play, "Lessons From Birdland." The staging and costumes were quite cleverly shown in the bird world. The proceeds amounted to \$20.35. It will be used in purchasing scientific equipment.

The honor roll, which is based on scholarship only, was some larger the past six weeks with twenty-three ranking as superior students from the enrollment of one hundred three students.

Track practice is in full force. Students are preparing to enter the declamatory and oratorical contests. The county track meet and literary contests will be held in Chillicothe, May 1.

Chillicothe
The Senior Class of the Chillicothe High School presented the annual class play in the high school auditorium, Friday night, April 9. The play "A Full House," was presented to a large and appreciative audience. About two hundred dollars was cleared on the play.

The juniors are working hard on their first plans for the annual junior-senior banquet which is to be held May 14, Junior Day. The annual, "The Crest," which is sponsored by the Junior Class will also be given out that day.

Coch Ransdell took the boys track team to Fayette Friday, April 16 to compete in a track meet with the high school there.

Jackie Coogan in "Peck's Bad Boy" was shown in the high school auditorium Thursday afternoon, April 15. A silver offering was taken up during the show. The proceeds are to go to the athletic department.

Rock Port
The Atchison County track and field meet, held at Tarkio April 16, was won by the teams representing Rock Port High School. "Red" Liniger, captain of the Blue and White squad, was high point man having won in several events, including the pole vault, the high jump, and javelin throw. John Salfrank also placed first in the discus throw, while Scott and Riggs were unquestionably the fastest sprinters on the track. Tarkio ranked second in points in the meet.

Simultaneously with the winning of the high trophy of the meet, Rock Port High School retains for another year the large "Red Arrow" cup, which is to be the property of the school which wins the county track and field meet for three successive years.

Again the Rock Port High School won the county music contest, placing as the high point school and thus placing another large cup in its collection, but losing the Booster cup, which went to Daleview school. Tarkio placed second in points on the point cup.

Rock Port won first in the piano solo event, played by Willie Strickland, first in the boys' quartet, first in girls' quartet and first in the mixed quartet.

Rock Port won second in the girls' solo event, sung by Lora Mae Speer. Fairfax, represented by Loraine Walker won first on this event. They also won second in the violin, cornet and glee club.

Mr. Gardner of Maryville judged the contest.

Princeton
Princeton High School has been doing some exceptionally good work again this year. The Six-Six Plan was adopted at the beginning of the year. An assembly program for each Friday has been given by each of the six high school classes. A chapter from the Bible is read each day and once each week one of the local ministers has been invited to address the students at assembly. A student council to promote the welfare of the school was organized. This organization, the Debate Club, the Music Club, the "M" Club and the Vocational Training Club meet each week at the activity period. Each student in high school belongs to one of these organizations.

In athletics the school has had a great year. The football team under the management of Mr. LaMar was undefeated in this district and was only defeated by Green City, the champions of the Northeast district. The basketball season closed March 12 with the Princeton boys' and girls' teams winners in the Mercer County and invitation tournament at Princeton. The girls' team also won the invitation tournament at Trenton in October. These teams were coached by Mr. LaMar and Mr. Edwards.

In dramatics and public speaking a better program than previously has been carried out. The junior play was coached by Miss Minnie M. Rank. The work in oratory has been under the management of Miss Sarah Power. Mr. Edwards coached the work in extemporaneous speaking, and Miss Rank has had charge of the debates and declamatory work.

During the year four outstanding musical programs have been given under the supervision of Mr. LaMar. In December the Second Annual Musical was presented by the orchestra. A second musical and a one-act operetta was given shortly after the holidays. The other two programs were a minstrel show and a three-act operetta "The Daughters of Mohammed." These two programs were thought by many to surpass any of their kind yet given in Princeton.

Every two weeks motion pictures have been shown at the high school building with the high school picture machine. These pictures have been shown under the direction of Mr. Geo. A. Tumbleson, teacher of vocational agriculture and have been selected to meet the needs of the different classes. Throughout the year educational slides have been shown to the classes. Two programs of much interest and benefit to the students were, "The Courtship of Miles Standish" and "The Patriot Girl." The latter was given by the Daughters of the American Revolution for the benefit of the High School Fund.

The Mercer County Play and a Field Day and Interscholastic Contests, held April 17 under the auspices of the Princeton High School were quite interesting. The Mercer School won first honor in the elementary, town and rural school track meet for boys and girls, Princeton second, and Miss Stanley of the Moss Rural School won for her school third place. In the afternoon the high school meet was won by

Princeton with Ravanna second; Mercer third; and Spickard, fourth.

Some of the features of the day other than the regular track events for boys and girls were stunts given by various schools. Pennants were given for the best float, the best stunt and for the float coming the greatest distance.

Miss Irene Smith, a former S. T. C. student, and teacher of the Norton School, deserves special mention. She brought half her school, thirteen children, a distance of twenty-two miles, winning the pennant for distance.

In the evening the program was unique in that it included with the readings, orations, vocal and instrumental solos, a free hand cartoon drawing contest, a ciphering and Latin vocabulary and poster contest. Medals were given the winners in all these contests.

Other events of interest in P. H. S. this year are as follows:

1—Colonial Art Exhibit, April 4-10.
2—Lecture to girls by Miss Nance Taylor of the University of Missouri.

3—Lecture to boys in health class by Dr. A. S. Bristow, prominent local physician.

4—Lecture to girls in health class by

Miss A. S. Bristow, R. N.

5—Testing of seed corn and soil for Mercer County farmers by the Vocational Agriculture classes. This class will attend Missouri University Farmers' Week.

6—The following students have received the State High School letter: Enid Arnott, Ruth Van Vactor, Mary Robinson, Margaret Evans, Opal Thomas, Fay Stocklos, Harry Oliver, Florence Wilcox, Virginia Stanley, Belva Denon, Phyllis Casteel, Roscoe Ruth Stolla, Shelton, Virginia Cross and Roy Kauffman. Bert A. Hoies has won the State Super Letter.

7—The Library is under the supervision of Miss Sarah Power, and a staff of capable student librarians.

8—Mrs. Belle Owen Turner has acted as Treasurer of High School Funds.

9—Mr. LaMar has worked out a plan by which the students of the Vocational Club may be given an opportunity to get first hand experience in working in banks, stores, offices and shops at the activity period.

Mr. LaMar is a graduate of S. T. C. He will soon finish his third year in Princeton and has been re-elected Superintendent for 1926-27.

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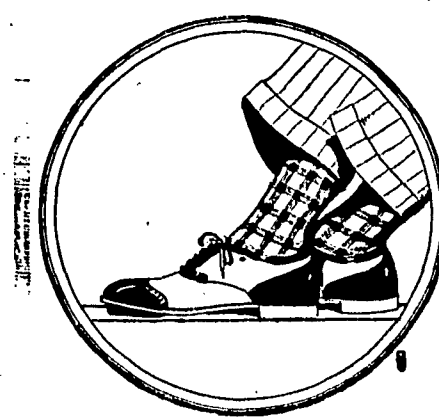
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The Stroller

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Imagine the Stroller's surprise when she found his name, among others, written on a dainty little envelope and tucked on the bulletin board. Oh, you should have seen his feathers fall as she uttered, "Baptist!" And of all the questions she asked herself—and each question he asked herself, she tried to answer:

"Can it be I'm 'flunking' in history? Oh surely not. Then is it English? But that would be—what would it be since English is my major? Maybe then 'tis French. Oh, has it come to this, after the hours I've spent trying to learn that foreign tongue?"

This is not all she thought but this is all he'll publish. He slipped up and erased his name, first making sure that no one was watching her, but on turning to leave who should the Stroller behold but one of those dignified Seniors gazing curiously at him. Then to think that the Stroller's name had been posted two days and everyone had seen it before she did.

Finally he decided the quickest way of settling the matter was to see the Dean at once. What do you suppose the Dean said—simply this, "You are behind with your Art work." The poor Stroller hadn't had any art work for two years. A hasty explanation followed.

Miss DeLuce had written the names in such a scribble that Miss So and So, and Mademoiselle So and So could hardly make them out, so the business matter became a guessing game. In one case they made a complete name of Me, then added the latter part of the other name and in the transformation they made the real name of altogether another person. The Stroller understands that there were other mistakes almost as bad as this, resulting from the same cause, and he thinks that a required course in penmanship for faculty members would not come in amiss. The purpose of such a course, of course, would be to develop SPEED, ACCURACY and LEGIBILITY.

The Stroller wonders if Olin and Floyd aren't two of the happiest little boys in school now. And it must be gratifying to their dear teacher, "Miss Peoples" to have such bright boys in class. Here is what was clipped from the boys' and girls' page of the St. Joseph News-Press last Saturday:

Two New Orbit Club Boys.
Graham, Mo. Dear Page Editor: I live in Graham, but I go to school in Maryville. Miss Esther Peoples is my teacher. I love her dearly. I am in the first grade. I am six years old. My planmate is Floyd Billingsley. We have lots of fun coasting in our wagons. I spent Easter in Fairfax, Mo. We went to a party and hunted Easter eggs and played Easter games. Please send me two Orbit Club badges, one for Floyd and one for me. Your friend,
Olin Wakely.

Albany, Bethany St. Joe Win Tennis

Tennis honors were carried away this year by E. Saunders of Albany in boys' singles, E. Lingle and L. Moulton of Bethany in boys' doubles; Marguerite Letts of St. Joseph Central in girls' singles and Ruth Albright and Lucille Betts, also of St. Joseph Central in girls' doubles.

Because of the weather playing was done under decided difficulties. Most of the matches had to be played indoors, thus handicapping the players to a great extent. The tournament was characterized by a lack of flashy play because of the courts. The hardest fought match was probably between Albany and Bethany in boys' singles for the championship. The games were (8-10), (6-2), (6-3), and (6-4).

There were only four entries in girls' singles. In the first round Trenton won from Maryville in easy sets, 6-1, 6-0, while St. Joseph Central's victory over Bethany was a harder match, the sets being 6-4, 9-7. St. Joseph won the championship match from Bethany in sets of 6-2, 6-0. Marguerite Letts of St. Joseph played a sure game of hard delivery and accurate receiving.

There were six entries in girls' doubles. Graham and Maryville drew byes in the first round. St. Joseph Central easily defeated Tarkio 6-0, 6-0 and Trenton won from Harmony. In the second round Trenton and Central played for the championship, Central winning in 6-1, 6-4 sets. Central's team composed of Ruth Albright and Lucille Betts was outstanding for its consistency.

FORESHADOWED EVENTS

April 29 to May 7—Annual Spring Music Festival.
May 5—Edgar Raine, World Traveler.
May 7—Featur. Madame Schumann-Heink.
May 23—Baccalaureate sermon.
May 24—Senior reception.
May 25—Senior breakfast.
May 26—10 a.m., Commencement.
May 27—Close of spring quarter.
May 28—Close of short course.
May 31—Opening of summer school.

defeated Cameron 6-3, 6-1 and Bethany defeated Graham 6-1, 6-1. Albany and Graham staged the hardest games of the tourney which went in 8-10, 6-2, 6-3 and 6-4 sets.

In the boys' doubles Graham, Ridge-way and Trenton all drew byes in the first round. Bethany defeated Hopkins, St. Joseph Central defeated Eagleville, Martinsville won from Harmony, Tarkio from Blytheville, Maryville from Cameron. In the second round Bethany St. Joseph Central, Tarkio and Ridge-way came out on top. In the semi-finals Bethany won from Central 6-0, 2-6, 6-0 while Tarkio won from Ridge-way by forfeit. E. Lingle and L. Moulton of Bethany won the championship match in 6-1, 6-0 sets.

The number of sets per match were cut short on account of darkness.

FOR SALE—Vegetable plants of all kinds.—College Greenhouse.

Chorus Drilled Long for Handel's 'Messiah'

Three Soloists From Chicago and One From Lincoln, Nebr., Will Appear in Oratorio.

The State Teachers College Chorus of 200 voices, which will appear in Handel's "Messiah" next Wednesday night, has been rehearsing on this concert for several months. Many of those in the chorus this year were members last year and were trained in the same oratorio, which is being repeated.

The solo parts this year will be carried by three persons, from Chicago, and one from Lincoln, Nebr. They are: Edna Swanson, Ver Har, contralto; Mrs. Monica Graham Stults, soprano; and Howard E. Preston, bass; all of Chicago; and Parvin Witte, head of the Conservatory of Music of Nebraska Wesleyan College, Lincoln.

The presentation of the "Messiah" is an annual custom.

Charles R. Gardner will direct the chorus in the oratorio and Thomas H. Annett will be accompanist.

Junior Play Scores Hit with Big Crowd

"The Whole Town's Talking" a 4-act comedy given last Tuesday night by the Junior Class, was a riotous, hilarious success. A big crowd enjoyed every minute of the play.

The story centered about the efforts made to make Mr. Binney, a man of love affairs. Orval Adams who played this part, was the star of the evening. Fred King, as the ever resourceful "explainer," Mrs. Mary Esther Murphy O'Banion, as the worldly-wise mother, Mildred Omar, as the ultra-modern daughter, and Julia Caldwell, as the dramatic motion picture star, were especially good. Rebecca Briggs, as a dancing teacher, Hazel Hawkins, as the maid, Morris Chick, as the jealous fiancée, and Fred Street, as a "man of the world," had important parts that were played in a very pleasing manner. Burdette Yeo, Georgin Poynter, and Susie Hankins, handled parts of lesser importance in a way that helped to make the play one of the most enjoyable seen at the College for some time.

Much credit is due Miss McClanahan who directed the play.

The University of Arkansas has a valuable collection of Bibles, including the entire Bible in French, Greek, and the language of the Fiji Islanders. The New Testaments are in German, Welsh, and the language of the Sandwich Islanders. Gospels included are Anglo-Saxon, Gothic, Wycliffe and Tyndale versions.

Miss Andrews to St. Louis

Miss Andrews went to St. Louis last week where she attended the convention of the State Federation of Music Clubs. She was joined there by Mrs. Harry Mutz and her small daughter, Virginia, and Joan Montgomery, both pupils of Miss Andrews. These girls appeared in the Junior State Music Contest last Saturday morning.

Virginia Mutz was the winner of the junior piano contest sponsored by the Federated Women's Clubs of Missouri held Saturday morning. This is a distinct honor for both pupil and teacher as there were more than fifty pupils from all parts of the state entered.

Mabel Raine, B. S. and A. B. '25, and now teaching in the Rock Port schools, brought several contestants in dramatics to Maryville last week for the high school contests.

Good Exhibits in Industrial Arts

Only four high schools were entered in the Industrial Arts Contests but the competition was keen. The schools entered were: St. Joseph Central, Excelsior Springs, Maryville, and Bethany.

All four schools were entered in woodwork, but St. Joseph Central was the only school entered in mechanical drawing. Maryville had no competition in architectural drawing.

In the individual contests Harry Daniels of Maryville won first in mechanical drawing and Ora Petty, of Maryville, first in architectural drawing. Each will receive a one year subscription to Industrial Arts or to Industrial Education.

Excelsior Springs won first in woodwork with Bethany second.

Adolph Shane of Ames, Iowa, was the judge. The judging was based on design, execution of workmanship and finish. This is the first year these contests have been held.

Classroom Expert Talks to Students

Miss Julia Sullivan of Boston, president of the National Association of Classroom Teachers, talked to students of the College at 11 o'clock last Monday morning.

Miss Sullivan discussed the history of the Department of Classroom Teachers, the aims of that department, and she also criticized classroom teachers.

"I have found the most serious fault of local classroom teachers to be a lack of professional attitude," said Miss Sullivan. She suggested that a year-book of the discussions at conventions and a code of ethics would be instrumental in developing a professional spirit.

The National Education Association, which is the national professional organization, was organized in Philadelphia in 1857. It was then proposed to organize a National Teacher's Association, which had departments for superintendents and principals, but no recognition of classroom teachers until 1912. Now more than 700 local classroom teacher's organizations are affiliated with the N. E. A.

The aims of the organization are: To secure higher educational training for teachers; to secure teacher participation in school administration; to secure better economical conditions for teachers by establishing agencies for securing of positions, the teacher tenure plan, the retirement system, and the plan of cycling—that is, one year in seven off for travel or further education and one year in twenty off for rest; to assist local and state organizations when they need it; to co-operate all groups engaged in classroom work with educational service.

Let us fill the universe with brilliant symphony concerts, sonatas, and also the syncopated American music. They are all art. They all have classics of their own.

To Remain in Kansas City

In a letter to Dean Barnard, Mary Riggs writes that she finds her work in the Kansas City schools very interesting and that she will be there again next year.

Kansas State Teachers College, Hays, fears that its college men may win the famous sleeping title from Rip Van Winkle. In a survey, it was found that the occupation of sleeping has a margin over any other, some spending 69 hours a week thus engaged.

WORLD COLLEGE COURSE

The University Travel Association announces that the steamer "Byndam" (22,070 tons) has been selected for the University Trip Around the World which is to start from New York, September 18th next, for eight months visiting over thirty foreign countries with four hundred and fifty American students enrolled from all parts of the country, and a faculty of fifty.

The President of the Faculty is Dr. Charles F. Thwing, President Emeritus of Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, and twenty-two university will be represented on the faculty.

Most of the foreign governments have extended official invitations to the students to visit their countries. Honorable Henry J. Allen, of Wichita, Kansas, will be in charge of Journalism and will write the history of the reception in the foreign countries.

Dean George E. Howes of Williams College and Dean Albert K. Heckel of the University of Missouri will be in charge of the students.

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The Physical Education Department will be under Mr. Daniel Chase, and some form of sport will be obligatory with all students. Several intercollegiate baseball and football matches have already been arranged for with students in the foreign universities.

Music is happiness.

A professor at the University of Wisconsin, Dr. Blackmore, maintains a weekly dinner and discussion group for Chinese students. Each Chinese has as a table companion an American graduate student or a member of the faculty.

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An editorial in the Kansas City University paper severely criticizes studying in assembly.

65 Children to Sing At Faculty Concert

No Services at Maryville Churches on Account of Festival Dr. James Announces.

One of the most popular numbers on the Fifth Annual Music Week Program should be the Sunday night concert, May 2, which will be given by faculty members of the Conservatory of Music and a children's chorus of sixty-five voices, chosen from the public schools of Maryville.

Miss Helen Dvorak, violinist; Bernhardt Bronson, baritone; Harry O. Hickernell, trombonist; and Thomas H. Annett, pianist will appear on the program, while Charles R. Gardner, head of the conservatory, will direct the chorus.

Mr. Gardner has been working with the children for some time and predicts that their part of the program will be more than interesting.

There will be ten musical numbers on the program. A scripture reading and prayer will also be a part of it. There will be no services at the churches of Maryville on that night, according to Dr. C. C. James, president of the Ministerial Alliance.

Following are the names of the children who will take part in the chorus: Sopranos: Eugenia Arnold, Julia Cornett, De Loris Gray, Olive Grimes, Ruth King, Helen Kramer, Nellie Roberts, Jessie Snoderly, Sadie Wagner, Julia Aley, Gladys Bartram, Kathleen Eisenman.

Joyce Johnson, Virginia Lucas, Arline Sherman, Mildred Sorrie, Helena Sloop, Ruby Lucille Watt, Roberta Webb, Elizabeth Holaday, Mildred Brown.

Anna Mae Daniels, Estella Edwards, Arminia McConkey, Mildred Lemon, Virginia Miller, Maxine Woodward, Shirley Bennett, Marie Davis, Iola Hull, Mildred Jensen, Margaret Knox, Virginia Larmer, Eudora Smith and Maxine Abbott.

Altos: Treva Edwards, Mary Hamlin, Beatrice Lemon, Myrtle Schimming, Norma Short, Virginia Smith, Maude Bryant, Olive Bush, Reba Butler, Beatrice Campbell, Audrey Dinsmore.

Louise Masters, Mary Roberts, Lucy Lloyd, Rose Graves, Gertrude Howard, Dorothy Lemon, Callista Mae Miller, Doris Snodgrass.

Angeline Swinford, Nellie Barton, Dorothy De Neen, Velma Eisenman, Bertha Clair Garret, Opal Hawkins, Viola Henderson, Helen Kelley, Laura Jean Mardock, Eleanor Stanfield, and Leota Edwards.

Schumann-Heink to Draw Record Crowd

Opera Singer, 65 Years Old, to Be Assisted by Violinist and Pianist.

Each year, the State Teachers College makes an effort to bring to Maryville for the Music Festival one number which is perhaps more outstanding than all the rest. Once Mrs. Elly Ney was brought here, then came Florence MacBeth, last year it was the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, and this year—it will be Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink, celebrated contralto from the Metropolitan Opera, New York.

Mme. Schumann-Heink is now on her Golden Jubilee Tour, celebrating her fifty years as a singer with the Metropolitan Opera. That she will be a tremendous drawing card is proved by the fact that those in charge of the Music Festival expect to have to turn scores away from the College auditorium because of lack of seating capacity.

There are some who have said that the great contralto is giving away to age. Press notices on her concerts, however, class her as the Schumann-Heink of old, "her glorious voice still full, warm and vibrant."

The New York American said, after her appearance, "And behold, the sexagenarian contralto, irresistible as ever, held that big gathering of folk in the hollow of her motherly hand."

The New York World said that Mme. Schumann-Heink's voice is a living work.

refutation of the calendar, and the Boston Transcript said that years may come and go but that such vocal style as was and is Mme. Schumann-Heink's ripens with them.

The Madame will arrive in Maryville on Thursday night, May 6, and will have a day of rest before her concert here. Reservations have already been made at a local hotel for a party of four persons. Assisting the celebrated contralto on May 7, will be Florence Hardeman, violinist, and Julius Buerger at the piano.

Mme. Schumann-Heink will go to Kansas City from Maryville. She will give two concerts there as the next two appearances on her Jubilee Tour.

Requests for tickets to the Schumann-Heink concert have been coming to Maryville for the last month. M. E. Sealeman, director of information at the College, said today that single admissions to her concert would be at more than a premium. A single order for a bloc of fifty tickets came from one town, and there have been scores for a dozen or more in a row.

Mme. Schumann-Heink will sing fourteen numbers in her concert. Some of these will be in English, but there will also be some in French and Italian. Miss Hardeaman will play six solos, and will play a violin obligato for one of the Madame's numbers.

Schumann-Heink is 65 years old and is the mother of five children.

Duo-Piano Concert An Innovation Here

Press Comments Speak Well Of Howard E. Preston and Edna Swanson Ver Har.

The duo-piano recital by Philip Manuel and Gavin Williamson as the concert on the next to last night of the Music Festival will be something out of the ordinary for music lovers of this territory.

"It is fairly easy for a piano soloist to 'get over' in a concert, but it is something more worth while when two persons give a piano recital in such a manner that personality is forgotten in the beauty of it all," Thomas H. Annett, head of the piano department of the Conservatory of Music, said in speaking of Manuel and Williamson.

Although these young pianists have not been long on the concert stage, they have achieved an enviable reputation, according to press notices on their concert. They will play a program divided into three parts on Thursday night, May 6.

The art of two-piano playing is a virgin field, rich in undiscovered nuggets. Bach, Mozart and other classic writers wrote considerable music for two keyboard instruments which was usually interpreted on harpsichords. Pianos, as we now know them, were unknown.

With our present day instruments, the artistic possibilities—both of invention and reproduction—are almost unlimited. The soloist is fairly safe with his virtuosity, but the ensemble player needs a larger equipment. He must shine and be subordinate! In combination with other instruments, the solo piano always assumes leadership, by reason of divine right, so to speak. But here the chances are equal, and the welding of the parts, must produce an organic, whole. All other duet forms imply the joining of parts—incomplete in themselves—but here two complete entities are made into one. Hence the scarcity of piano ensembles and the demand for the highest form of musicianship.

Music lovers should enjoy the joint recital on Tuesday evening, May 4, by Miss Edna Swanson Ver Har, Swedish contralto, and Howard E. Preston, operatic baritone. Miss Ver Har and Mr. Preston will remain in Maryville after their recital and will sing solo parts in Handel's "Messiah" on the following night.

Miss Ver Har, is best known in this country as a concert singer. She has appeared from coast to coast and from Canada to the gulf. Newspapers all over the country have praised her voice for its clarity and quality.

Mr. Preston is known in Chicago, his home, as the "singing actor." He is a member of the Chicago Opera Co., and is also a concert singer of note.

Nearly 300 honor men are included among the 635 applicants to the Freshman class at Princeton University. The students classed as honor men attained unusual scholastic records both in their preparatory schools and college entrance examinations.—Normal Times.

Photographs of students have been taken to add to the records of Kansas S. T. C. at Hays. Each transcript in addition to the record of a student's grades will have his photograph attached.

A Prayer for Schools

By Dr. Frank Crane

O God, Thou hast put into our hands the future of the race. We are co-workers with Thy spirit in creating the world that is to be.

Thou hast put every new generation in the lap of the old, that there may be continuity of growth. Awaken us to our responsibility. Stir us up to our incomparable privilege. Make keen within us the conviction that we have no work more vital to do than to teach.

Reveal to us the school as the heart of the world's work. Vast problems press upon us. The world is upturned. The masses seethe in the ferment of untried theories. Yet the way is so simple!

It lies through the child. The road to the Golden Age runs through the school-house. There is no reform, however far-reaching, no establishment of justice, however revolutionary, that might not better be accomplished through the instruction of the children, than through the schemes of politics or the violence of war.

Arms and disorder, destruction and overturning, are man's way. The school is Thy way. Lay upon the conscience of ever teacher the divinity of his employ. Give him the enthusiasm of his opportunity. Show him the beauty, the majesty of his calling, the marvel of his art, the proper pride of his craftsmanship!

Make every parent realize that the best gift in his power for the child is the school! Lay deep in every child's heart an unshaken ambition to learn, to know, to come to mastery.

Unfold to us increasingly what education means! Shake from us the ghost grip of the past, the narrowing hold of tradition, while we still preserve what is good.

Deepen, broaden, enlarge our conception of the school. Make us glad to spend more for it, as the best of all investments for the security of the world. And show us that there can be no salvation for the race that does not first mean salvation for the child by striking from his brain the chains of ignorance, from his heart the iron rim of superstition, and from his hands the curse of the unskilled!

High School Clubs To Give 1st Concert

Harry O. Hickernell and Bernhardt Bronson, Conservatory of Music Faculty Members, in Charge

The concert Thursday night which ushers in the Fifth Annual Music Week at the State Teachers College will be given by the Maryville High School Music clubs, which are the orchestra, the band, the chorus, the boys octet, and the girls glee club.

The orchestra, which is under the direction of Harry O. Hickernell, head of the wind instrument department of the Conservatory of Music, is made up of thirty-two pieces. It will play three numbers at the beginning of the program. The personnel of the orchestra follows:

Violins: Harold Braun, Veneta Moore, Harriet Miller, Beatrice Hanson, Eleanor Nicholas, Christine DeBord, Zola Colwell, Virginia Wright, Irene Bailey, Ruth Miller, and Gwendolyn Jantz.

Viola: Cleola Dawson.

Cellos: Lawrence Wray and Walter Xlutz.

Flutes: John Hiatt and Lola Belle Suetterlin.

Horns: Harold Warner and Graham Malotte.

Clarinet: Donald Goforth, Maurice Woodburn, Lewis Moore, and William Person.

Cornets: Theodore Breedlove, and Earl Somerville.

Bassoon: David Moore.

Basses: Virginia Braun, C. Gibson, and Robert Porter.

Trombones: Herbert Hudson and Erman Barrett.

Piano: Gertrude Fisher.

Tympani: Carl Fisher.

Following are those in the High school band:

Clarinet: Donald Goforth, Maurice Woodburn, Lewis Moore, William Person, Arthur Brewer, J. H. Heath, Homer Warner, and Stanley Ford.

Piccolo: John Hiatt.

Bassoon: David Moore.

Cornets: Theodore Breedlove, Earl Somerville, Wilson Dowden, and Marvin Lyle.

Horns: Harold Warner and Graham Malotte.

Basses: Robert Porter.

Trombones: Herbert Hudson and Erman Barrett.

Baritone: Harry Trullinger, Ed Hudson, and Willis Wamsley.

Drums: Lawrence Wray.

Tympani: Carl Fisher.

The band will play the last two numbers on the program.

The boys octet is directed by Bernhardt Bronson, head of the voice department of the conservatory, who also is director of the girls glee club and the high school chorus. The following are in the octet:

First tenor, Donald Goforth, and Carl LeRoy Fisher; second tenor, Harold Warner and Frank Tidball; Baritone, Graham Malotte and Ralph Hotchkiss; bass, Harold Braun and Robert Porter. Lawrence Wray is accompanist.

"Climate is the key that unlocks the door to Paradise."—Darwin P. Kingsley, president of New York Life Insurance Co.

20 Men Report for Spring Grid Practice

Spring football practice has taken on a new angle with the coming of the warm weather and a squad of about twenty men may be seen nightly reporting for practice.

Coaches Jones and Lawrence are working the men hard and are confident that by the end of the term the squad will have developed some real players. The following is a list of the men who are out for the grind and all of them are showing up exceptionally well according to the coaches: Cox, Minnie, Cochran, Ewing, Tye, Moore, Hagan, Curmitt, Ham, Mullenix, Smith, Barkley, Ross, Smith, Teasley, Adams, Wilson, Graham, Lewis.

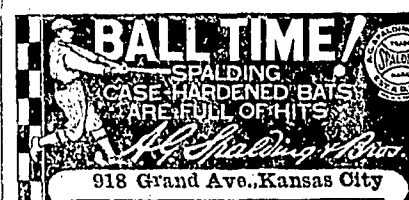
The purpose of the course is to teach the recruits the rudiments of the game and to get them in line for the fall practice. The text that is being used is, Rockne, Football Theory and Practice. A study of the game is being made by actual playing and it is hoped that out of the new material will develop some men who can take the place of the men who will be lost by graduation this year.

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ADOLPH MENJOU & BESSIE LOVE in "THE KING ON MAIN ST." Also a two reel western, FRED HUMES in "GRINNING FISTS"

MONDAY, MAY 2nd—

BEN WILSON in "RENEGADE HOLMES M. D." Also a two reel comedy "HARD HEARTED HUSBANDS"

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